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THE ANNUITY, PENSION, WELFARE and APPRENTICESHIP SKILL IMPROVEMENT & SAFETY FUNDS OF THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 137, 137A, 137B, 137C & 137R, et al.,

Civil No. 08-cv-5346

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

Plaintiffs,

- against –

COLUMBUS CONSTRUCTION CORPORATION, NIKAN CONSTRUCTION, INC., CORE CONTRACTING OF NEW YORK, LLC, CANAL ASPHALT, INC. and UNITED STATES FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Defendants,

Scott A. Levin, of the law firm McElroy, Deutsch, Mulvaney & Carpenter, LLP, hereby enters an appearance in this matter on behalf of Defendant, United States Fire Insurance Company.

Dated: August 11, 2008

By: /s Scott A. Levin

Scott A. Levin